

## **ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY** INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

August 28, 2023

To: Steve D'Amico, Business Office Manager

From: David M. Patton, Sr. Production Engineer

Subject: 2023 Capital Budget Amendment and Budget Transfer SP WTP Site Utility Tractor and Attachments

The Engineering Department is requesting the creation of a new Capital Budget Item and the transfer of funds from Capital Budget Item No. 1010-100-101471, Decant Submersible Mixers to the newly requested budget item within unit 1090.

Upon an evaluation of rental costs for various site maintenance equipment utilized during the year, it has been determined the purchase of a small compact tractor with various attachments would provide both monetary savings and allow flexibility and immediate use when needed. The attachment includes a rotary broom for driveway maintenance, a lift type rotary "brush" cutter for fence, lagoon and general site maintenance, and a heavy duty snow blower for driveway, sidewalk and building access during winter

The funds are being transferred from the Decant Submersible Mixers line item that are not needed as the mixers were delivered unexpectedly before the end of 2022.

A total of \$70,000 is being requested to be transferred.

DMP:jmf Attachments cc: L. Kowalski M.Wymer L.Lester

# **Budget Transfer Authorization**

Budget Transfer No: 4

Date:

08/28/2023

### **Transfer From:**

Unit	Dept	Capital / O&M Item No.	Description	Amount	
1010	100	101471	Decant Submersible Mixers	\$70,000.00	

#### **Transfer To:**

Unit	Dept	Capital / O&M Item No.	Description	Amount
1090	100	101759	Site Tractor, with Attachments	\$70,000.00

### Statement as to Necessity of Budget Transfer:

Upon an evaluation of rental costs for various site maintenance equipment utilized during the year, it has been determined the purchase of a small compact tractor with various attachments would provide both monetary savings and allow flexibility and immediate use when needed. The attachments include a rotary broom for driveway maintenance, a lift type rotary "brush" cutter for fence, lagoon and general site maintenance, and a heavy duty snow blower for driveway, sidewalk and building access during winter.

The Decant Submersible Mixers budget is not needed, as the mixers were delivered at the end of 2022.

#### **Required Approvals\***

Unit Head:		
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Business Office Manager:	Steven 1/ D'Qmic 9/5/2023	
Executive Engineer:	Lemand f. Konalde - 09/06/2023	
Comptroller:	Jessica R Brown 9/6/23	
Chief Financial Officer:	Oprice mine 09/05/2023	
Chief Operating Officer:	00	
<b>Board Resolution Date:</b>		

\* See Back of Form for "Outline of Approvals Required for Budget Transfers", Schedule A and "Approvals Require for Creation of New Budget Items", Schedule B

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### ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY

#### Schedule "A"

#### Outline of Approvals Required for Budget Transfers

	Necessary	Approvals:						
	Unit	Department	Budget/Financial	Executive		Deputy	Executive	ECWA
If the Budget Transfer is:	<u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Analyst</u>	<u>Engineer</u>	<u>Comptroller</u>	<b>Director</b>	<u>Director</u>	<u>Board</u>
Transfer of up to \$75,000 (\$100,000 in Capital) Within the Same Unit	Х	X	X					
Transfer of up to \$75,000 (\$100,000 in Capital) Between Units in Same I	Dept							
Units in Production Department	Х	Х	X	Х				
Units in Distribution Department	Х	Х	X	Х				
Units In Engineering Department	Х	Х	X	Х				
Water Quality Unit	Х	Х	X	Х				
Transfer of up to \$75,000 (\$100,000 in Capital) Between Units in Same De								
Administrative Departments	Х	Х	X		Х			
Transfer of up to \$75,000 (\$100,000 in Capital) Between Depts		Х	X	Х	Х	Х	X	
Excess of \$75,000 (\$100,000 in Capital)	Х	X	X	X	Х	Х	X	X

#### Schedule "B"

#### Approvals Required for Creation of New Budget Items:

	Necessary Approvals:							
	Unit	Department	Budget/Financial	Executive		Deputy	Executive	ECWA
If the New Budget Item is:	<u>Head</u>	Head	Analyst	<u>Engineer</u>	Comptroller	Director	Director	<u>Board</u>
Under \$10,000	Х	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	
\$10,000 and over	Х	X	X	Х	X	X	Х	X

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### ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY AUTHORIZATION FORM For Approval/Execution of Documents (check which apply)

Contract: Project No.: 2020002   Project Description: 2023 Capital Budget Amendment – Production Description: Sturgeon Point WTP Tractor Attachments	
Item Description:   Agreement Professional Service Contract X Amendment   BCD NYSDOT Agreement Contract Docume   Recommendation for Award of Contract Recommendation   Request for Proposals Other	
Action Requested:   X Board Authorization to Execute Legal Approval   Board Authorization to Award Execution by the Cha   Board Authorization to Advertise for Bids Execution by the Sec   Board Authorization to Solicit Request for Proposals   Other	airman cretary to the Authority
Approvals Needed:   APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:   X   Sr. Production Engineer   Leidel Operating Officer   X   Executive Engineer   Lemad f. Maalu   Director of Administration   Risk Manager   X   Chief Financial Officer   Legal   APPROVED FOR BOARD RESOLUTION:   X   Secretary to the Authority	Date: 9/7/2023 Date: Date: 09/08/2023 Date: Date: Date: 09/07/2023 Date: Date:
Remarks:   Resolution Date:	Date